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Washington, D.C. 20231

Attorney Docket No.: VX012372

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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the **UTILITY** patent application of:

Inventor(s): Masatake TAMARU

Title: WORK MACHINE MANAGEMENT SYSTEM

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- ☒ 163 pages of written description, claims and abstract.  
☒ 50 sheet(s) of formal drawings.  
☒ Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney  
☒ Assignment Papers (cover sheet and documents)  
☐ Certified Copy of Priority Documents  
☐ Information Disclosure Statement  
☒ Return Postcard Receipt  
☒ Preliminary Amendment

- ☐ Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid  
Sequence Submission including:  
☐ Computer Readable Form (CRF)  
Specification Sequence Listing on:  
☐ CD-ROM or CD-R (2) copies); or  
☐ paper  
☐ Statements verifying identity  
of above copies.

☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

☒ Filing Fee, calculated as shown below:

|  | (Col. 1)  | (Col. 2)   |
|--|-----------|------------|
| FOR:   | NO. FILED | NO. EXTRA* |
| BASIC FEE  |           |            |
| TOTAL CLAIMS   | 32 - 20 = | 12         |
| INDEP. CLAIMS  | 8 - 3 =   | 5          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS PRESENTED |           |            |

\* If the difference in Col. 1 is less than zero, enter "0" in Col. 2

| SMALL ENTITY |           |
|--------------|-----------|
| RATE         | FEE       |
|              | \$ 370.00 |
| x 9          | \$        |
| x 42         | \$        |
| + 140        | \$        |
| TOTAL        | \$        |

| OTHER THAN A<br>SMALL ENTITY |            |
|------------------------------|------------|
| RATE                         | FEE        |
|                              | \$ 740.00  |
| x 18                         | \$ 216.00  |
| x 84                         | \$ 420.00  |
| + 280                        | \$         |
| TOTAL                        | \$ 1376.00 |

- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.  
☐ One check ☒ two checks in the amount of \$ 1376.00 & 40.00 to cover the filing fee and  
☒ assignment recordation is (are) enclosed.  
☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge and credit our Deposit Account No. 22-0256 as  
described below. A duplicate of this sheet is attached.  
☐ Charge the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ to cover the filing fee and ☐ assignment recordation.  
☒ Charge deficiencies in the enclosed fees or any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16.  
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